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Further Protest of Highway Routing

That the people of the town and district were indignant at the re-routing of the C. & E. highway between Crossfield and Red Deer was evidenced at a protest meeting held in the Didsbury Opera House last Thursday night. There was a large attendance, including a delegation from Carstairs.

The chairman, J. E. Gooder, outlined the work that had been done leading up to the organization of a delegation which had met the minister of public works in Calgary the previous week.

Mr. W. A. Austin read and commented on the brief presented to Mr. Fallow and showed the loss that would accrue to businesses in Didsbury if the present highway was abandoned. He stated that it was up to the citizens to fight to a finish to have the present route maintained.

Mr. N. S. Clarke spoke briefly and stressed the point that the highway which linked the towns was a right that had been established for the past 40 years and said that every effort should be made to see that this privilege was not taken away.

Mr. Martin Foster spoke for the Carstairs delegation and there was considerable discussion from the floor of the house.

A resolution was unanimously passed to the effect that Didsbury should fight to have the route maintained as at present and approving the action taken by the boards of trade and the councils.

Under the Auspices of Knox Church Junior Ladies Aid.

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Thursday, May 19th

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Municipal Council Meetings

Both Municipalities Favor Highway Touching Towns

At the meeting of the Westerdale Council which was held in Didsbury on Saturday the Municipal mill rate was set at 10. The estimates for the year were not yet completed, but they will be kept much in line with the estimates for last year.

The annual inspection of roads will be made on May 18 and 19, after which the road program for the year will be decided upon.

The bylaw, authorizing the municipality to enter into agreements with the towns of Olds and Didsbury for the building of new hospitals at each town was given its second reading and the posting and advertising of the by-law will be proceeded with in the near future.

A resolution was passed unanimously asking that the Provincial Government route the proposed new highway so that it will properly serve both the town of Didsbury and Olds and the council would join in all efforts toward maintaining the highway in its present location.

MOUNTAIN VIEW COUNCIL.

The Mountain View Council at its meeting at Olds on Saturday gave the Hospital bylaw its first and second reading. The bylaw will be posted and advertised, and unless a petition signed by 15 per cent of the proprietary electors demanding a poll is presented, the council will proceed to pass the bylaw.

The council unanimously passed a resolution to be presented to the government asking that the proposed new highway be routed to touch both the towns of Olds and Didsbury. It was pointed out that if the road went further east the municipality would be put to considerable expense to maintain connecting roads to the highway and also the road between Didsbury and Olds.

A letter was read from the Department stating that it would be necessary to make a new assessment this year.

The secretary reported that the relief paid out during April amounted to \$287.34. Two cases under the Farmers' Credit Arrangement Act were reported and one application for mother's allowance was approved.

NOTICE

A Clean Community acts as a preventative against disease: Each Householder can and should be a guardian of Public Health.

The dread fly, carrier of disease, is again with us.

Every effort should be made to keep your premises fly proof. Burn all garbage, but if you cannot burn it, place in a fly proof container, for regular removal by the scavenger. Have windows and doors properly screened and if the flies get in, swat 'em.

A suggestion re. outside toilets: A pail of old car oil poured in once or twice during the summer will prevent flies gathering. The garages and service stations will, no doubt, be glad to furnish the oil which has been drained from cars, ask them.

Your co-operation in the past is appreciated, give us it again—For a clean town free from disease.

Local Board of Health
Didsbury

Delegates to Go to Edmonton.

Delegates from Didsbury and Carstairs will go to Edmonton on Friday to interview the cabinet with regard to the routing of the proposed new highway.

Word was received from E. P. Foster, M. L. A., that a new survey was taking the road straight south from the Rosebud School, which would take it about a mile and three quarters from the centre of town. Mr. Foster also intimated that a delegation would be received by the government at 2:30 Friday afternoon.

A meeting of the boards of trade and councils was called on Tuesday night, when the matter was discussed and it was decided to send a strong delegation to Edmonton to set forth the Didsbury district's claims to have the highway come through the town. They will be accompanied by a delegation from Carstairs.

Those chosen were: Mayor Chambers, W. A. Austin, J. V. Berscht, H. Hawkes, C. E. Reiber, Ed. Ford, W. A. McFarquhar, W. G. Liesemer, M. Weber, Ray Lantz, Roger Barrett and J. E. Gooder. Messrs. N. S. Clarke and A. Brusso will represent the municipal councils.

Messrs. Hugh Roberts and Al. Cook attended the meeting and put forth claims that the road should be put through 5 miles east of Didsbury. They stated that petitions had been signed and that Mr. Ed. Liesemer had been sent as a representative to Edmonton to place their claims before the government.

BIRTHS

Didsbury General Hospital.

May 4th, to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hoesgood a daughter.

May 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Miller a son.

May 8th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hickok, Bergen, a son.

May 9th, to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shantz, Carstairs, a son.

May 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Haley, Cremona, a daughter.

Knox United Church Notes.

The services next Sunday will be in charge of the minister. His sermon topic will be "Vital Religion." All are cordially invited to attend.

DIDSBURY MARKETS.

WHEAT

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No. 2	84½
No. 3	78½
No. 4	.68
No. 5	.62
No. 6	.46
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No. 3	.30
Extra No. 1 Feed	.30
No. 1 Feed	.28

BARLEY

No. 3	38½
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Golfers Organize.

The annual meeting of Didsbury Golf Club was held in the C.P.R. waiting room Monday night.

Officers elected for the current season were:

Hon. President, H. W. Chambers

President, J. W. Wordie

Vice-Presidents, C. E. Reiber

and Frank Kaufman

Secretary-Treasurer, C. Geiger

Fees will remain the same as last year: Gentlemen \$5; Ladies \$2. Beginners are again encouraged by the lowering of fees to half.

Miss Marie Chambers and Mrs. A. C. Fisher were appointed as ladies' membership committee.

The golf course, tees, etc. came under discussion and the Club is looking forward to a successful season. Members undoubtedly are assured of a splendid golfing year.

School Orchestra Will Broadcast Friday, May 20

The Didsbury School Orchestra will present a musical program over CFAC (the Herald Broadcasting Station) on Friday evening, May 20th, from 9 to 9:30.

Vocal numbers will be rendered by the Public School Sextette and a solo by Dorothy Buhr.

At the Movies.

"STELLA DALLAS"—Goldwyn's Greatest Masterpiece

Any announcement of a Goldwyn picture is news, but the showing of "Stella Dallas," the new Samuel Goldwyn production, at the Opera House this Friday and Saturday is of special interest in view of the enthusiastic reports which heralded its approach elsewhere, it being held over for an extra two weeks in Calgary recently.

Barbara Stanwyck in the title role registers one of the greatest triumphs in her entire career. John Boles heads the distinguished supporting cast which includes such personalities as Anne Shirley, Alan Hale, Al Shean, Barbara O'Neil and Tim Holt. Alan Hale contributes a leavening of humor as the roisterous Ed Munn, for whose friendship Stella Dallas wrecks her home and life.

"Stella Dallas" is the heart story of a vulgar, tawdry woman who you will call magnificent as she rises to glorious magnificent heights through her sublime love for her daughter. The magic touch of Samuel Goldwyn, a name synonymous for superlative production, is evidenced throughout. "Stella Dallas" is one of the truly great pictures of the year and is a positive "must" on everyone's movie-going schedule.

WEEKLY JOKE

Irate Farmer: "Say, don't you see that sign—'Private, No Fishing Allowed?'"

Fisherman: "I saw your sign, but since it was marked 'Private,' I didn't read it."

Gun Club Shoot.

The final shoot for the Turvy Cup, which should have been shot off last fall was held on Monday night.

Ed. Watkins was the winner by a narrow margin with 18 out of 25, J. Chamberlain second with 17, F. Aastrup 16, J. Caithness 16, Ken. McCoy 14, I. L. Klien 13, Russell Ady 11.

A shoot for 22" rifles only will be held next Monday night with Percy Lunt in charge. This will be the first shoot for the silver shield which the club is putting up.

Fifty thousand dollars of federal funds will be made available to the city of Lethbridge to assist in laying hard-surfaced runways on the new Lethbridge airport. The city will vote the remainder of the money required. The money will lay three runways nearly a mile in length and capable of handling the largest airlines.

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At a time when Western Canada is looking around for more sources of revenue to boost dwindling governmental treasuries and to augment the supply of coin for private and corporate purses, it might be appropriate to give some serious consideration to the advisability of devising methods to develop tourist traffic to a greater extent than has been achieved to date.

Insofar as increased tourist trade has an effect on governmental revenues is concerned it might be argued that comparatively little of the money brought into the country by motorist visitors from south of the international boundary is contributed directly to the provincial governments. This is true, of course, but it is also true that the money expended by tourists in the purchase of commodities and services while they are here makes it easier for the residents of the country to pay taxes and imposts levied by all classes of governments, federal, provincial and municipal, and to the extent that it does so, assists in boosting the revenues of these governments. So that not only those who have commodities and services to sell to tourists benefit by the money that they spend in the country, but it is advantageous to all the taxpayers.

Beneficial To The East

Taking the country as a whole recently released figures show that Canada benefits very substantially by tourist traffic and moreover these figures show that tourist trade ranks high in the nation's industries, even after due allowance has been made for the contra expenditure of Canadian visitors to the United States.

A preliminary estimate made by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics shows that the total expenditure of foreign tourists in Canada in 1937 was approximately \$295,000,000, while the total expenditures of Canadian tourists in other countries was approximately \$123,000,000. The corresponding estimates for 1936 were \$249,000,000 and \$107,000,000 respectively.

These figures not only show that the tourist traffic, both inward and outward bound, is growing, but that a very substantial trade balance in favor of this country is depicted—a balance of \$172,000,000 in 1937 as compared with \$142,000,000 the preceding year.

When these figures are compared with the total revenue derived from wheat in recent years they are quite impressive, but unfortunately it is easily demonstrated that comparatively little of the tourist harvest is reaped in the prairie provinces, perhaps not as much as might be if greater efforts were made to attract more visitors with money to spend some leisure time in Western Canada.

Beneficial To The Taxpayers

There are reasons why the east enjoys a tremendous percentage of this comparatively new found source of wealth. They are to be found in greater concentrations of population on both sides of the international border, accessibility and the existence of first class highways. Some of these advantages cannot be expected to accrue to the west immediately, but there is reason to believe that the west could derive a larger share of the benefit if more attention were paid to improvements in the highways system in the prairie provinces, in addition to completion of the trans-Canada highway and its maintenance in a state of high efficiency.

An improved highway system is a project which might well receive attention as an appropriate form of unemployed works to a greater extent than it has hitherto. Such work could absorb a great deal of unskilled labor now idle and available and it would have this merit that, if properly conceived and economically carried out, it would ensure some return to the taxpayers of the country, in direct form to some and in indirect form to the others.

There is much of charm in the Western Canadian scene and to many of our neighbors to the south the northern and western parts of Canada have a romantic allure which should draw much tourist traffic if adequate highway facilities made travel more certain and more easy and made these charms more readily accessible.

Moreover the completion of a first class highway across Canada with suitable lateral links should not only have the effect of drawing more American tourists to the prairie provinces but should also divert more Eastern Canadian tourists to the west.

A Worthwhile Effort

The past few years of agricultural depression have not only taught westerners the necessity for greater diversification of agriculture but that also the west needs other industries besides agriculture if the economic life of this section of Canada is to become more stable. Some of these industries are evolving, some with rapidity and some more slowly, as for example the petroleum industry, but the tourist trade is another which appears to be worthy of cultivation to a material degree.

Mistress: "Mary, you've done no work again to-day. Whenever your sweetheart comes to see you the only part of the house that is cleaned out is the larder."

Petroleum ranges in color from almost black, yellow or brown, through shades of green to colorless.

Berlin is to have the biggest airport terminal in the world, a seven-storey office building three-fourths of a mile long.

None of the 40 cabins of Germany's new Zeppelin, the LZ 130, will be numbered, but each will bear the name of a German city or town instead.

Queen Victoria in the year 1870 gave the Slough Fire Brigade its brass helmets, and the firemen have just replaced them with leather ones.

Three orchids, originally from Switzerland and valued at \$250, were flown recently from Croydon to Cologne.

Protecting Suez Canal

Britain's \$60,000,000 Army Base Will Require Seven Years To Complete

Britain's new \$60,000,000 army base in the Moascar and Geneifa areas of Egypt, designed to give better protection of the Suez canal, is so vast it will require seven years to complete.

It will extend over five miles, and will include barracks accommodation for 10,000 soldiers. There will be hotels, stores, schools, places of amusement, an officers' club, and possibly a race track. Airfields and bombing ranges will be laid out for the 400 Royal Air Force pilots of the district.

Before construction is started many mosquito swamps and pools must be drained and arterial roads leading from the base to strategic points in Egypt completed.

French Dance On Trains

Special Car Is Large Enough To Accommodate Twelve Couples

France's "radio trains" carry a special dancing car large enough for 12 couples to dance at once. The trains, introduced as a novelty, have their own broadcasting station, which is turned in for every compartment. Lectures on the passing countryside are delivered over it, music is played and the latest news given. An amateur hour for passengers is usually arranged and a popularity contest held. Trains are operated on Sundays, making a round trip to places of historical or other interest to travellers.

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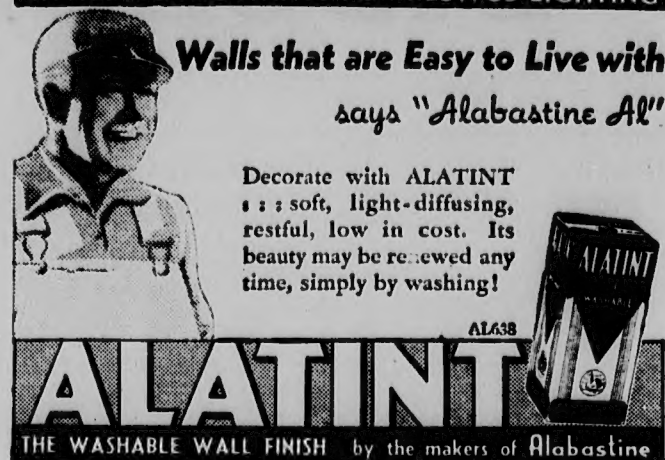
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On an average, it takes a London taxicab driver 10 years to pay for his cab.

It has been estimated that there are 7,000,000 bicycle riders in Great Britain.

Florida has about 90 electrical storms every year.

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TESTED RECIPES

By Katharine Baker

DESSERTS

There is no need to settle down to a diet of apple sauce or stewed prunes. Dried fruits and canned fruits are always available, to say nothing of oranges, grapefruit, apples and bananas.

There is a knack, however, in serving these fruits to bring out their full flavour and colour. A simple and easy way to do this is by combining fruits with jelly. It makes such a difference in the appearance and taste of ordinary fruits, and dresses them up to look like company desserts, but they are simple enough to serve every day.

Arabian Peach Mold

3/4 cup peach juice
1/4 cup vinegar
1/2 cup sugar
12 cloves
1 stick cinnamon
1 cup canned peaches, sliced
1 package orange flavoured quick-setting jelly powder

Combine peach juice, vinegar, sugar, cloves and cinnamon and bring to boil. Add peaches and simmer 10 minutes. Remove peaches from syrup. Strain. Add enough water to syrup to make 2 cups. Dissolve jelly in warm liquid. Arrange peach slices in individual molds. Pour jelly over them. Chill until firm. Unmold. Serves 6.

Grapefruit Mounds

1 package lime jelly powder
1 pint warm water
Dash of salt
2 grapefruit, sections free from membrane
Dissolve jelly powder in warm water. Add salt. Turn into individual molds. Chill until firm. Cut grapefruit sections lengthwise in slices. Arrange grapefruit slices on plate and unmold jelly on them. Serves 8.

Here are two practical and delicious orange desserts:

4 oranges, free from membrane and cut in pieces
1 cup sugar
1 package orange jelly powder
1 1/2 cups warm water

Combine oranges and sugar and let stand 10 minutes. Dissolve jelly in warm water, pour over oranges, and chill. Stir occasionally while cooling. Serve in sherbet glasses. Serves 8.

Realism Is Uncanny

Hard To Remember Charlie McCarthy Is Not Real

A visiting radio executive, stopping off in Cleveland on his return from a trip to the west coast, tells of the uncanny realism of Charlie McCarthy, America's boy friend.

Even the hired help around the studio where Edgar Bergen broadcasts seem to forget every once in a while, he says, that Charlie isn't a real flesh and blood person.

For example, he attended a rehearsal of a Sunday night program, and saw a page boy show a script to Bergen, then walk off with it. Up spoke Charlie McCarthy: "Hey, wait a minute—let me see that, too."

The page boy whirled around, said "Pardon me," and handed the script to the dummy in perfect seriousness.

Apparently Edgar Bergen has fun with Charlie, even when they're not on the air. My informant tells me that he brings Charlie into the studio in a suitcase, from which you hear Charlie's voice, yelling: "Let me out of here, Bergen!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Thought River Was Sea

A young couple from the United States had fond dreams of being married at sea by the captain of a boat. Crossing the St. Lawrence from Ogdensburg, they asked Capt. J. Boivan to marry them. You don't need a license to marry at sea, the young man explained. "But you are not at sea," replied the captain, ending matrimonial plans.

Britain's Air Arm

Would Purchase Warplanes From Canada And U.S.

Great Britain means business in her determination to build up her defensive air arm to a state of power and efficiency where it will be second to none among world powers—even if it entails the importation of machines, parts and equipment.

On the heels of Earl Winterton's announcement that exploratory steps had been taken in regard to purchase of warplanes from Canada and the United States, The Canadian Press learned authoritatively that Air Ministry experts would sail for the United States to open official discussions.

Britain, it is reported, is ready to buy at least 500 of the latest type bombers from United States manufacturers and negotiations are said to have been started with three Canadian firms for additional craft.

The estimated expenditure would exceed £5,000,000 (\$25,000,000).

The original Royal Air Force building program called for completion of 1,750 fully modern, first-line aircraft by next March but it now understood the new expansion calls for construction of 2,300 machines.

If the United States deal materializes, it would be the largest military contract placed outside the Empire since the Great War when Britain purchased tremendous quantities of munitions from the United States.

It is pointed out that the United States neutrality act empowers the President to ban the export of war materials to belligerents at his discretion, but British authorities believe this problem could be hurdled.

There is nothing, they say, to prevent United States aircraft companies from opening branch factories in Canada, thus overcoming the objection that overseas production might be stopped or curtailed in the event of war.

Canadian factories are suggested by Lieut. Colonel J. T. C. Moore-Brabazon. In an article on "Aviation: Civil and Military" in the April issue of Empire View, the Conservative member of Parliament wrote:

"We must put down in Canada, either in the industrial belt around Toronto or further west, factories where, unbombed and unbombable, great long range bombers can be produced in large quantities; and where, in spite of war, there would grow up slowly enormous production which would overcome the enemy."

"The only thing that matters is how our plane production compares with that of the country against which we are building. . . . And we have to take Germany as a basis of comparison."

"According to the most reliable information at my disposal Germany is to-day producing 350 machines each month, and can, on a three-shift basis, extend to 600 a month."

"On the other hand, we have reached 200 a month, and when the shadow factories get going, we can produce 300 in the same period. The fact stands out, we are getting into a worse position relative to Germany than when we started."

Age Class Of Workers

A Toronto psychologist predicts that within 50 years children two years old will be going to school. Recently another observer expressed the belief that education should continue up to the student's thirtieth year. As there are people who maintain that men from 55 years up should be pensioned, we may imagine a world in which all the work is done by the age class of 30 to 55.

Over Four Hundred Miles To Be Built To Complete Trans-Canada Highway

Ignoring the myriad detours which mark new construction on the Trans-Canada highway, there remain after five years of intensive construction and the expenditure of approximately \$30,000,000, over 400 miles of road to be built. It will cost about \$20,000,000 and can scarcely be completed before 1911. When that is done and the route opened to through traffic it will probably be given the designation No. 1. At least in several provinces this number has been reserved for that purpose.

Over a course 4,000 miles in length from Sydney, N.S., to Victoria, B.C., there are three gaps in the Main street of Canada. The first is a 60-mile stretch in Nova Scotia. The second is the major one, 270 miles in the Lake Superior section of Ontario. The third is a 78-mile stretch around the Big Bend of the Columbia river in British Columbia. The Nova Scotia link will be forged within two years. Construction in the Rockies is more difficult but here, too, the Dominion's program calls for completion in two years.

The Lake Superior link is the only one which will take an indeterminate length of time. Five years would seem to be an optimistic estimate of the time required to connect eastern and western Canada by an all-weather motor highway.

Construction has been done almost entirely by the provinces and has been encouraged by federal grants-in-aid amounting to 50 per cent. of the cost. In this way \$14,551,132.78 has been spent by Ottawa and a like amount by the provinces.

In addition, upward of \$1,000,000 has been spent by the Dominion in northwestern Ontario unemployment relief camps. These men did road work. Further sums have been spent by the Dominion on the sections of the highway which are in Alberta and B.C. national parks.

Much of the new highway, built or improved in the past five years, is still rough. This class of road comprises, chiefly, the stretch through new Ontario.

Expenditures have been at the rate of about \$6,000,000 per year. In the future, the totals are likely to be smaller, with some \$20,000,000 being spent in the next five years.

By provinces, the expenditures since 1930 have been:

Prince Edward Island	263,021.35
Nova Scotia	1,525,420.16
New Brunswick	971,350.02
Quebec	3,756.28
Ontario	10,239,072.89
Manitoba	816,251.56
Saskatchewan	10,490.02
Alberta	295,344.83
British Columbia	426,425.37

Pedestrian's Liability

Motorist In England Receives Damages From A Pedestrian

When a motorist receives damages from a pedestrian, it is news. Such an incident is reported from England where an Ipswich motorist has been required to pay for the damage done when he swerved to avoid a pedestrian, but has been held to be entitled to compensation from the pedestrian.

The judgment apparently recognizes the primary responsibility of the motorist for any damage which his car may do. It is reasonable that any one who undertakes to drive on a public highway should assume liability for any damage which may result from the operation of his car.

But the unusual feature of the judgment is that it recognizes that a motorist, who is driving carefully and is suddenly confronted by an emergency created by the carelessness of a pedestrian, is entitled to compensation if in swerving to avoid that danger he runs into other danger. — Toronto Telegram.

Had To Have Proof

At New York's first auto show in 1900 a circular track was built in the old Madison Square Garden for the cars to whirl around on at the rate of twelve miles an hour—to prove to pop-eyed prospects that the horseless carriages could actually move under their own power.

Australia expects to produce 20,000 tons of dried currants this year.

Film Version Of The Bible

A Three-Hour Film Of The Bible Is Project Of British Company

A British film company, Vogue Films, greatly daring, at a time when our national production seems to be at its lowest ebb, propose to produce a film version of the Bible, which will cost £400,000, employ 10,000 people, take a year to make, and occupy something like three hours of running time on the screen.

Vogue Films, it seems, are nothing if not ambitious. Undeterred by the censors' ban, which forbids the reproduction of the figure of Christ on the screen, they intend to tackle both Old and New Testaments. The film, they say, will be in color. It will be made by three different directors. It will be treated in sections by a number of leading writers. It will be played by famous actors from a variety of countries. It will be circulated to the ordinary commercial theatres as a single feature, running in all to something like 15,000 feet.

Old Testament history, when tactfully done, has never given the censors any trouble. The story of Moses and the crossing of the Red Sea was the highlight of the silent film "The Ten Commandments." New Testament stories have been shown from time to time without a censors' certificate, by permission of the L.C.C. and various local watch committees. The most outstanding cases of this kind were Cecil B. de Mille's "King of Kings," which was given special Easter week showings in the latter days of silent pictures.

In almost all cases of religious films passed for exhibition by local authorities certain rules of exhibition apply. These include, amongst others, no pictorial posters; no mention of the names of the actors; no smoking in the auditorium; musical accompaniment to be of a religious character; and no other film to be shown in the same program.

It will be interesting to see how the newly projected Bible film will meet these various conditions.

The Bible is an untapped treasury of stories, dramatic, exciting, romantic, and lyrical, for the serious film research student. But it would be unfair to pretend that other producers have not already come close to the idea, and been forced, for various reasons, to abandon it. Korda's projected "King of the Jews," from the Mary Borden story, to be directed by Victor Sjostrom, was the last case in point. — London Observer.

Time Moves On

Grandmothers Of Olden Days And Later Models

If you are one who remembers Grandma as a sweetly wrinkled old lady in lace cap who sat by the fire and knitted on winter evenings and rocked and fanned herself on the porch in summer, you're just an old-timer.

The activities of a Grandmothers' Club recently organized in Chicago will give you an idea what a streamlined person the contemporary grandma is.

This club boasts 39 grandmothers. One is a candidate for mayor. Another employs 300 people in her candy factory. A third heads the B. and O. women's department. A fourth manages a \$2,000,000 estate. A fifth (with 13 grandchildren) manages a gravel pit. A sixth, 72, has sold insurance for a living since she was 51. And so on.

Like younger folks, these grandmas play as well as work. Listed among their recreations are horseback riding, swimming, bowling, fishing, hiking and gardening.

Rocking chairs? Why, bless your soul, leave them for the tired and decrepit younger generations! — Stratford Beacon-Herald.

Protectorate In Arabia

On the southern shores of Arabia, east of Aden, Great Britain is establishing an undeclared protectorate over Hadhramut. The independence of Hadhramut is formally recognized. Agreements have been made under which the Royal Air Force will be called in when necessary to impose order.

Women As Travellers

Are Very Practical And Tip Only If They Get Service

Women — mostly teachers and nurses — travel most on railways. A. A. Gardiner told the Westmount Women's Club in Montreal. Mr. Gardiner was quoting data received from railway men in Canada and the United States.

The element of romance in travel probably was responsible in part and emancipation also was a factor. "Bargain" fares were a great appeal to women indifferent when they were merely labelled "low fares." And women all-expense fares, since they want to know just what a trip is going to cost.

Women show more practical sense than men in tipping — more fair play, the speaker said. They tip, he suggested, to ensure promptitude or for service — and when a woman doesn't receive service she doesn't tip. Women, too, are more given to buying transportation from advertising. Also, they seem to feel they will enjoy a trip in ratio to the number of questions they ask the railway people. A side trip included in a ticket has an irresistible appeal.

When the family is taking a trip the wife makes 90 per cent. of the decisions and does 70 to 75 per cent. of the spending. In many cases it is the girl who makes the inquiries about the honeymoon trip. The train staff always recognizes a honeymoon couple — because both are wearing new shoes.

Women have better travel sense when it comes to baggage — and their small overnight bags are a joy to the porters.

In one respect men are somewhat superior to women as travellers, said the speaker, referring to the feminine penchant for monopolizing all the dressing room space and keeping it for a long period.

When a man makes a complaint he says he is speaking for his wife; the women "thinks you should know about this," but she does not want the offender to lose his job as a result.

Like men, women leave all sorts of things on trains — but never in the history of railroading has a compact been left behind.

Should Be Renovated

Agitation Started Against New Brunswick's Old Debt Law

Plans are underway to renovate New Brunswick's antiquated debt law, long ridiculed by lawyers and social workers as the one on which creditors so hounded Dickens' immortal Micawber in "David Copperfield."

Amendments to the act, said to be the only one in existence in the civilized world, were stymied to permit legislative officials to attend the coronation last spring.

Agitation against the statute has been underway for the past 20 years, sponsored by the New Brunswick Barristers' Association.

The clause under attack permits the creditor not only to obtain an execution against the goods of the debtor, but to obtain an execution against his body also. In St. John, largest city in the province, an average of six persons are jailed monthly for debts.

Rust-Resistant Wheats Have Overcome Menace Caused by Barberry Bush

The associate committee on field crop disease of the National Research Council of Canada finds rust-resistant wheats and oats may eventually obviate the necessity for destruction of barberry and buckthorn bushes.

The committee, in session at Winnipeg, has studied causes and control of rust, smuts, root-rot and other plant diseases. While the perfect wheat that can overcome all diseases remains to be developed, the fact rust-resistant wheats have overcome the menace of barberry bush rust-producing qualities was an outstanding development.

The associate committee on grain research announced approval of two new rust-resistant wheats, known only as "Rust Laboratory RL1097 and 975.1 or Crop Test 118 and 124 wheats," pronounced by Dr. C. H. Goulden, the producer, as resistant to leaf rust, covered smut and stem rust.

Dr. Goulden, chief cerealist specialist of the Dominion rust laboratory at Winnipeg, explained rust develops through the barberry bush and complete elimination of barberry bush growth in North America would probably eliminate rust troubles of Canadian wheat farmers.

He said the barberry bush grows in the Maritime provinces and southern sections of United States. Spores of rust float through the air and eventually settle in Western Canada.

Plant breeders reported on varieties of rust-resistant wheats and oats types and said "definite progress is being made in development of varieties that are resistant to other diseases."

The grains which show resistance to one or more diseases are being used as parents in order to produce resistant strains.

Plans are underway to develop wheat resistant to the sawfly by cross-breeding to produce a solid-stem wheat. Solid-stem wheats, a rarity in North America, are being cross-bred with more common wheats.

The sawfly lays eggs in stems of ordinary wheat and the larva or worm bores down the stem. Thus the plant breaks under pressure of wind and fallen wheat fields are practically impossible to harvest profitably.

The committee found that mercuric dust treatments, applying chemical dust to seed wheats, was a feasible protection against smut which exists in the seed spores. The most practical mercuric dust mixer known is a home-made machine resembling a churn but a perfect dusting machine would be welcomed.

While dust-treatment of wheat seeds would protect against smut, plant breeders say strains must be developed entirely resistant to smut. Some grains already produced are partially resistant. The varieties were not named by the committee.

Work on root-rot disease has undergone a co-operative study by plant pathologist and soil microbiologists, the committee stated.

"Definite progress toward eliminating this disease has been made but more work must be done before complete control of root-rot is obtained."

Sawfly damage, while not as sweeping as rust, takes a heavy toll from the wheat fields yearly. In 1935 the Saskatchewan loss was officially estimated at more than \$3,000,000.

The emerging grub, hatched from sawfly eggs, saws a ring around wheat stalks, plugs the stub with sawdust and spends the winter just above the root.

The committee stated parent material is available that is immune to sawfly attacks.

Canadian farmers "should beware of mis-statements about the malting quality of barley varieties," the committee announced.

Only six types of barley are eligible for the malting grades, the committee's statement said. They are "Ontario Agriculture College 21, Manchurian, Mensury, Mensury Ottawa 60, Gartons and Peatland barleys."

After considering the malting data, agronomic characteristics and the purity of available seed supplies, the committee recommended growing of only O.A.C. 21 and Mensury Ottawa 60 for malting purposes.

Envoy's Question Answered

Reason World Not Happy Over Annexation Of Austria

Dr. Dieckhoff, the German Ambassador, was here the other day and made a speech. When he touched on Austria he asked why the happiness of two Germanic peoples at coming together should not be shared by the whole world. Perhaps we can answer his question rather briefly.

A girl who works in our office was around here all day in tears, and we finally asked her what was the matter. It turned out that she had once lived in Vienna, where she had a job, and that while there she had boarded with a Jewish family of whom she became very fond. She heard news of them through a daughter of the family who is now in this country. The household had been entered by troopers and searched, and the girl's mother and sister are now dead — whether by their own hand or by the hand of the troopers is not yet certain. The son-in-law is in a camp where. This will answer the Ambassador's question. — The New Yorker.

For National Fitness

British Government Will Link Physical Culture Movement With Cooking

The British government's national fitness campaign is going to effect not only muscles but menus.

Much of the physical unfitness of the English people is attributed to unsuitable and badly cooked food. The ministry of health and the board of education are considering how the better and wider teaching of cookery can be linked with the physical culture movement.

No detailed plan has yet been produced, but it is anticipated that steps will be taken to encourage the provision of more evening cookery centres for adults and the better patronage of those already in existence.

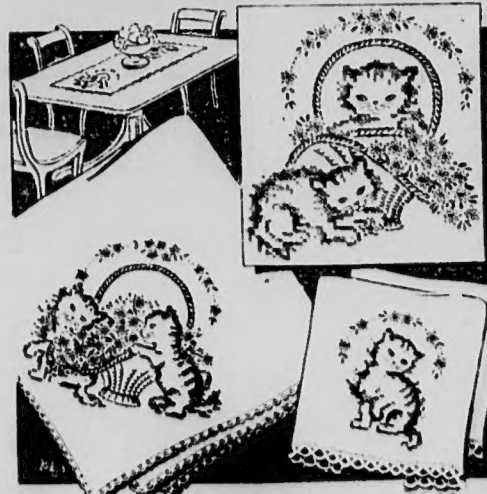
Many girls now go from school to work in shops, offices, or factories. By the time they are married they have forgotten most of what they learned about cooking and the dietetics at school. It is this gap between school life and marriage that the ministry of health and the board of trade will attempt to bridge.

Byron Was Superstitious

Byron was extremely superstitious. He firmly believed in lucky and unlucky days; disliked undertaking anything on a Friday; avoided being helped to salt at table; and if he spilled salt or oil, let bread fall or broke a mirror, he knew something terrible was going to happen.

Owing to new sources of supply, mahogany is now available as cheaply as oak and is returning to popular favor as a furnishing medium.

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J. E. Gooder - Editor & Manager

The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. STRANGE
Director, Research Department
Searle Grain Co. Ltd.

"Is there likely to be a premium for malting barley next year?" "What variety shall I sow to gain this premium?"

Many farmers are now asking these questions. No one, of course, can forecast future prices or future premiums, but good malting barley will certainly always command a higher price than feed barley.

The National Barley Committee, which represents the most skilled scientific agriculturists dealing with the barley problem, recently recommended that only O. A. C. 21 or Mensury Ottawa 60 should, for this year, be eligible for malting premiums.

This really means that a prairie farmer perhaps had better confine himself for the time being to O. A. C. 21, for the reason that a considerable quantity of high quality Registered 1st and 2nd Generation O. A. C. 21 is, in the west easily available at moderate prices to those who desire to improve their barley crops.

To produce malting barley it is necessary to seed early on good clean land; barley is often grown, because it is early, on stubble as a cleaning crop to get rid of weeds. This practice would ruin malting barley.

The growing of malting barley is really a specialty, just as is the production of high quality wheat.

Following factors have tended to raise price: Broomhall increases estimated importers' requirements -- Cold dry weather reduces European crop prospects -- North African barley crop deteriorates -- Rains hamper picking and movement of Argentine corn -- Drought damages German, Austrian and Balkan fruit crops.

Following factors have tended to lower price: Average U. S. private winter wheat estimates largest ever estimated on May first -- Canadian Prairies have ample moisture for germination -- Spring seeding becomes active in Russia -- American new wheat sales made to Continent -- Ten per cent corn or rice must be used in Italian bread -- Corn planting under way in the United States -- Italy bids for Argentine wheat on barter basis.

Rugby Notes

Mrs. Farrant entertained the W.I. for the May meeting. There was an attendance of 25. The Grandmothers of the community were the guests of honor at this meeting and special prizes were given to the Great Grandmothers, the one with the most grandchildren, and so on down to the youngest grandmother. A contest entitled "Grandmother's Cooking," under direction of Mrs. and Miss Wahl, was staged, 1st honore going to Miss B. Landeen. It was decided to ask for a short course in "Advanced Dressmaking," date to be announced later. Members who have not turned in their quilt blocks are asked to bring them to the next meeting or send them to Miss H. Wahl. The June meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Herbert, with "Canadianization" as the topic.

In Your Garden.

Timely Hints for Flower Garden.

Now that spring is here all dead stems should be cut off the plants, leaves and broken branches raked up and the garden tidied up. Plants that were put in last autumn should be examined and any that have been heaved out of the ground by frost should be replaced or pressed firmly into the soil. If left, the roots will probably dry out and die. The lawn should be well raked. If the grass is poor and bare patches occur, some good lawn seed should be scattered over the surface and raked in. Rolling the lawn is very beneficial at this time of year.

Perennials, such as Aster, Phlox, Helianthus, that have grown into large clumps, should be lifted, divided and replanted. If any bad weeds are found in among clumps of perennials, the plants should be taken up and the roots of the weed carefully removed and destroyed. Plants will recover very quickly at this season and there is no other way of destroying weeds like couch grass.

Seedlings of garden plants, such as pansies and poppies, frequently show up in clumps of Dianthus and other covering plants and if carefully taken up can be transplanted to some vacant spot in the border.

In loosening up the soil at this season it is well to watch carefully for young growth which may be just at the surface, as tips of lily and other plants are easily destroyed, and that means no flowers in summer.

WEEKLY SERMONETTE

There is no wall that can contain the Church of God on earth, and there is no sect-line that can reach around it. The Lord's Garden is large enough to contain all sects--and to leave room for the nations to camp in it besides.

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cluding Young People's meeting every
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Prayer Service.

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7.30 p.m.: Service.
Westcott 11.00 a.m.
Westerdale 3.00 p.m.

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11.30 a.m. Sunday School.
7.30 p.m. Evening Service.
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Monday 5 p.m. Intermediate
Monday 7.30 p.m. Senior
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Rev. A. D. Currie.

May 8th, 3 p.m. Evensong—the Rector
May 22nd, 11 a.m. Communion—Rector
June 5th, 3 p.m. Service by Canon Cripps
May 15th, 3 p.m. St. George's, Harmattan
—Service taken by Canon Cripps

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Rev. J. J. Kuring, Pastor.

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4:50 a.m. Daily.
11:54 a.m. Daily.—"Chinook."
5:04 p.m. Daily.—Except Sundays
1:46 p.m. Sundays.—"Chinook."

**Melvin Pupils Are
"Tops" at Festival**

Melvin School carried off major honors at Saturday's session of the Olds Musical Festival, winning the cup for rural competition with a total of 68 points. Under direction of Miss Hazel Ray, their teacher, Melvin pupils not only took firsts in recitation and solo competitions, but were prominently mentioned in all the prize lists. Runner-up was Bennett School, with a total of 64 points. Miss Mary Holeyton of Olds is the teacher at Bennett.

Twenty-seven rural schools competed, some pupils driving 30 miles over difficult roads.

The Grand Challenge shield for the inspectorate will be awarded after the Three Hills festival.

Following is a complete list of prizewinners:

RURAL SECTION

Solos Grades 3 and 4
1 Leslie Jackson, Melvin; 2 Dorothy Thompson, Bennett; 3 Muriel Grenier, Melvin.

Solos Grades 5 and 6
1 Olga Dupont, Melvin; 2 Marguerite Ronneberg, Eagle Hill; 3 Olwyn Jackson, Melvin.

Solos Grades 7 and 8
1 Elsie Meyer, Rosebud; 2 Jean Brown, Buffalo Creek; 3 Clara Leinweber, Rosebud.

Solos Grades 9 and 10
1 Elsie Leinweber, Rosebud; 2 Norma Morphy, Westerdale; 3 Mary Hingsberger, Eagle Point.

Duets Grades 5 and 6
1 Thelma Kjossvick, Marguerite Ronneberg, Eagle Hill; 2 Leslie and Olwyn Jackson, Melvin; 3 Eva Burkholder, Robert Olsen, Garrington, tied with Ethel Landeen, Jeanine Grenier, Melvin.

Duets Grades 7, 8, 9
1 Leota Phillips, Muriel Jensen, Hammer; 2 Clara Leinweber, Elsie Meyer, Rosebud; 3 Frances Craig, Mable Mallory, Berrydale, tied with Warren and Elaine Flinn, Betchton.

Chorus
1 Samis, 2 Rosebud, 3 Bennett and Melvin tied.

Action Songs
1 Melvin, 2 Eagle Hill, 3 Westerdale.

Recitations Grades 2 and 3
1 Muriel Grenier, Melvin; 2 Audrey Radford, Melvin; 3 Helen Ardt, Poplar Creek, tied with Marilyn Hunter, Bennett.

Recitations Grades 4, 5, 6
1 Edna Mumford, Eagle Creek; 2 Clary Youngs, Melvin; 3 Jeannie Dupont, Melvin.

Recitations Grades 7 and 8
1 Donald Radford, Melvin; 2 Ernest Ellithorpe, Sundre; 3 Lloyd Baughman, Rugby.

Recitations Grade 9
1 Joan Bowlen, Jackson; 2 Gwen Shouldice, Jackson; 3 Emile Dupont, Clovermount.

DIDSBURY (Town)
Prizewinners at the Festival from the town schools follow:
Action Song Grades 1 and 2: 1st

Duets
Grades 7, 8, 9: Mary Boorman and Adeline Buhr, 1st.

Grades 11 and 12: Gladys Geeson and Betty Boorman, 2nd.

Chorus Grades 5 and 6: 2nd
Chorus Grades 7 and 8: 3rd

Solos
Grades 7 and 8: Lloyd Erb, 2nd
Grade 12: Gladys Geeson 2nd,
Florence Ghamberlin 3rd.

Recitations
Grades 7-8: Ralph Edwards, 2nd
Grade 10: Elizabeth Austin, 1st

Evangelical Church Notes.

Rev. W. W. Krueger will be the speaker at both morning and evening services on Sunday.

The quarterly official board will meet in the church parlors at 8 p.m. this Saturday and every member is urged to be present.

Westcott Notes

Westcott W. I. members enjoyed a pleasant meeting on April 28th, when the members of the Sunny Brook Institute met with them at the home of Mrs. A. M. Robertson. Miss Ruth Johnston took charge of the 'Child Welfare' topic and as always was both interesting and instructive in her remarks. Mrs. Eckel made her annual visit to the Institute and offered many helpful suggestions. Entertainment was provided by Mrs. Toogood who played several piano solos. The May meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Ed Klineck.

Notes From the West

Mr. and Mrs. E. Parker returned Saturday from the coast where they had spent the winter.

Among those from the west, who attended the Musical Festival in Olds on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. J. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. O. Krebs, Mr. and Mrs. A. Luft, Mrs. A. Hogg, Mrs. W. F. Brown and Mrs. J. Hosegood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hogg were Calgary visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Hosegood had their baby daughter christened Ethel Maxine at the English Church, Didsbury, last Sunday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. H. Hosegood on the birth of a baby girl, Marian Louisa.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Parker visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. McDougall on Sunday. We are glad to hear that Mrs. McDougall is recovered after several weeks of illness.

Scout and Cub Corner

**1st Didsbury Troop Scouts
1st Didsbury Pack Cubs**

Douglas Wordie, Harold Feeg, Earl Erb and John Holub were invested as Tenderfoot Scouts at the Butte last Friday night.

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His words quoted above apply to Canadian banking today with all the force with which he applied them that day to banking in England. The Canadian banking system is a British system, adjusted from time to time to fit the needs of a developing nation in the changing scene of this new world.

Credit can only be issued against real assets. That is as true today as ever. You cannot create credit by writing figures in a book. You cannot make loans regardless of deposits, collateral or repayment, then write the loans up with a fountain pen as figures in a book labelled "Deposits" and lend them over and over.

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And if banks could lend ten times the amount of their deposits, collecting interest each time, bank profits would become a national scandal, dividends would be paid in astronomical figures, people would be selling all they had to buy bank shares, and there would be a land office rush on at Ottawa for bank charters.

But what are the facts?

Bank profits last year averaged less than half of one per cent. on total assets—a lower margin than that of any other class of business, corporate or individual.

Dividends are less than 4½ per cent. on shareholders' investment; nobody is scrambling to sell all he owns to invest in bank shares, and there is no land office rush at Ottawa for bank charters—though no application has been refused in the last fifteen years.

Banks perform no miracles.

They keep cash reserves more than sufficient to meet the average daily withdrawals. They keep much more in forms readily convertible into cash, should any emergency ever arise.

By reason of their strong liquid position Canada's chartered banks have money awaiting demand—just awaiting safe loaning opportunity.

Banks cannot lend money unless people want to borrow it. They have no monopoly of the business of extending credit, for the cash reserves of many other corporations find a useful earning outlet in the same way.

Some loans directly give rise to deposits; but have you ever considered what it is that gives rise to a loan? A man's realizable assets accumulated from his own work, plus his own character, ability and willingness to repay.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Imperial Airways officials said inauguration of trans-Atlantic air service this summer would be impossible due to a lack of equipment.

President Roosevelt has removed Austria from the list of nations receiving preferential tariff treatment from the United States.

Starlings, a major Ontario pest, are coming West in increasing numbers, bird fanciers report. Whether they would survive a western winter is not known.

An Arab shot and killed Squadron Leader Eric Hodson of the Royal Air Force at the Ramleh aerodrome in Palestine, according to reports received at Cairo.

A Canadian delegation of ex-service men, making their annual pilgrimage to the Artois battlefield, paid homage to Canadians who fell during the battle of Artois in 1915.

Canada was the largest purchaser of United States war supplies in March, say figures issued by the State Department. Canada imported \$1,194,168 worth of war materials, mostly aircraft.

British Columbia will erect a \$100,000 building in Vancouver as an auto testing centre. When completed next fall, a driver may get his driver's and car license, have his driving ability and car tested in one building.

The Kazan newspaper Red Tartar reported the execution of seven former officials of the commissariat of agriculture in the Tartar republic. It gave the charges as wrecking of livestock breeding.

Herbert Hollick-Kenyon, Winnipeg flyer and chief aide to Sir Hubert Wilkins during the recently abandoned search for the six missing Soviet flyers, said no further efforts to find them would be made from the North American continent.

German Ambassador

Herbert Von Dirksen To Succeed Von Ribbentrop In London

Chancellor Hitler has named Herbert von Dirksen, former ambassador to Japan, as German ambassador to Great Britain, succeeding Joachim von Ribbentrop, now German foreign minister.

Hans von Mackensen, state secretary to the foreign office, was appointed ambassador to Italy, succeeding Ulrich von Hassell, recalled in Hitler's shake-up of the diplomatic service in February.

Dr. Ernest Woermann, counsellor at the London embassy, was called back to Berlin to become a foreign under-secretary. The military attaché at Tokyo, Major-General E. Ott, became ambassador to Japan.

Count von Weizsaecker, political expert in the foreign ministry, was elevated to von Mackensen's post.

Theodor Kordt, a legation counsellor in the diplomatic service, was appointed to replace Dr. Woermann in London.

"The strongest wind won't blow this powder from your face," says a beauty products advertisement. But it only takes a tiny puff to put it there.

One of the most cunning of all the wolf tribe, the coyote, shuns traps and poison, and thrives on land opened up by the white man's axe.

A hamlet isn't a hamlet legally until it has a cook, a churn, a bull, a cat, a herdsman, a kiln and a plow, according to an old Welsh law.

Gardening

A brown or green-stained window box overflowing with gaily blooming flowers is easily produced. This sort of gardening is highly intensive and so a very rich soil should be used, and in addition a fairly frequent application of chemical fertilizer during the season. The box must be of fair depth, at least seven inches of soil being available. Being exposed on all sides to drying winds, a thorough soaking once a day is advised.

There must be holes in the bottom of the box to provide drainage, and also a layer of gravel, cinders, broken crockery or similar material for the same purpose. Along the front, trailing Nasturtiums, German Ivy, Lobelia, Alyssum and similar plants are put in, with Petunias, Ageratums, Begonias, Ferns, Geraniums and any other plants especially recommended for this purpose farther back. Shelter from the sun for a day or two should be provided until the plants get established. The same treatment and planting materials will be used with hanging pots.

Tender vegetables are those which have been grown quickly. Especially with such things as radish, carrots and beets, is slow growth disastrous as the roots become woody and filled with objectionable fibres. But this rule also applies to those things used for salads. On this account experts advise pushing growth with frequent cultivation, which in addition to checking weeds also conserves moisture. Cultivation alone will often keep the vegetables going through a dry spell but, of course, a few pails of water or an hour or two with the hose at this time will lend further aid. Where the supply of water is not as convenient as it might be, it is a good plan, in laying out the garden, to plant those things most in need of extra moisture, such as radish, lettuce and celery, closest to the pump. Fertilizer is another way of hurrying growth and therefore assuring vegetables of the highest quality.

When an abundance of flowers for bouquets are wanted, experienced gardeners often grow these in a special place. Usually a portion of the vegetable patch or a row at the back may be reserved for this purpose. Some well designed beds of mixed annuals are spoiled if too many flowers are picked and then again there are certain things like sweet peas, for instance, that have little attractive foliage but beautiful blooms.

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Making Clock Modern

A turret clock near the main entrance to the Port of London Authority's Cutter-street warehouses, made by John Thwaites, of Clerkenwell, in 1801, is being fitted with a small electric motor to replace the old weights and pulley mechanism.

Canadian merchandise imported into Northern Rhodesia in 1936 to the value of over \$300,000, included among other items condensed milk, agricultural machinery and preserved vegetables.

FLIN FLON

"The Story of Its Finding and Position To-day"

By PRATT KUHN

THE VALUE OF FLIN FLON TO MANITOBA AND SASKATCHEWAN

Remember we found that merely to put the mine into production took thirty millions of dollars, much of which was put into circulation in the two provinces in the shape of wages and purchases of supplies.

To-day the mine employs 1,720 people, and remarkable as it is true, over 640 of these are from Manitoba and Saskatchewan, with 280 more from other parts of Canada, and 243 from the British Empire (other than Canada). This makes over 76.5 of all employees recorded as British subjects. Of the total staff nearly 1,000 are married, and that accounts for the splendid town, nearly 7,000, that has grown up, equipped with schools, community halls, and every known organization such as Elks, Kiwanis, Rotary, Reglar Fellers', Masons, etc., etc.

Mining development on a sound scale thus means attraction of capital and steady payrolls. It's a backbone to the agricultural sections of the province and provides a market, increasingly important, for the farm produce.

I just ran across a note clipped from a business paper in 1928, which shows another angle to what Flin Flon meant to Manitoba at that time. It reads as follows:

"What mining means to the country at large was vividly portrayed in 1927 by the simple announcement that Canada Cement Company would make a million dollar addition to their Winnipeg plant to handle orders from the Flin Flon Mine and Power Plant."

Remember, too, that the distance from Flin Flon, Manitoba, to Rouyn, Que., is greater than half way between the Atlantic and Pacific ocean and that this field contains almost every metal known to man. What wonderful possibilities there are!

And ever since 1930 the Flin Flon has been turning out millions of dollars in copper, zinc, gold and silver and paying out millions in wages, for supplies and taxes to both provinces, and the Dominion.

Doctors Short Lived

Ministers, Judges And Educators Seem To Be In Preferred Class

In New York City it has been found that retired public school teachers live so much longer than anticipated under a salary pension schedule of eleven years ago that the contributory levies will have to be much increased. Ministers, judges and educators seem to be in the preferred longevity class whereas doctors, who of all others should best know the health rules, have a low expectancy rating. Brantford Expositor.

Customer: "I've come back to buy the car I was looking at yesterday."

Salesman: "Fine. Now tell me what was the one dominating thing that made you decide to buy this car?"

Customer: "My wife."

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Idea Of English Hazy

Ontario Applicants For Naturalization Cannot Read Road Signs

Operators of motor vehicles among the 35 applicants for naturalization who appeared before His Honor Judge A. T. Boles in County Court at Simcoe, Ont., were confronted with miniature traffic signals and asked to read them as part of the test of their knowledge of English.

The result brought surprises. One Belgian who had been driving a car in Ontario since 1929 could read only the word "Stop". A Czechoslovakian, eight years in Canada, who formerly drove a car, could read about half the signs shown him, while a Bavarian who had been eight years in the country recognized all without hesitation. A few others could read none of them. The word "Caution" had little or no meaning to most of them.

Trade Representative

South Africa The First Overseas Dominion To Name Commissioner For Canada

The Union of South Africa will have an accredited representative in Canada, it is learned. The position will be substantially the same as that of high commissioner. Announcement of the creation of this post with D. de Waal Meyer, South African trade commissioner now in Montreal, as the first accredited representative, was made in Pretoria, the department of external affairs at Ottawa advised.

South Africa by this announcement became the first overseas dominion to name a representative of its government to the government of a sister dominion.

With Or Without

Detroit Church Took Vote On Services And Sermons

The New Outlook says a Congregational Church in Detroit has been trying the experiment of an occasional "sermonless service" of worship. The pastor asked for a plebiscite on the subject, the vote to be for "sermons regularly, sermonless services of worship, or occasional services without sermons." Fifty-four per cent. of the congregation voted for sermons regularly without intermission, 42 per cent. for the occasional sermonless service, and three per cent. would cast out the sermon from all services.

Queen Mary Visits Museum

Asked To See Regalia Worn By Prince Of Wales

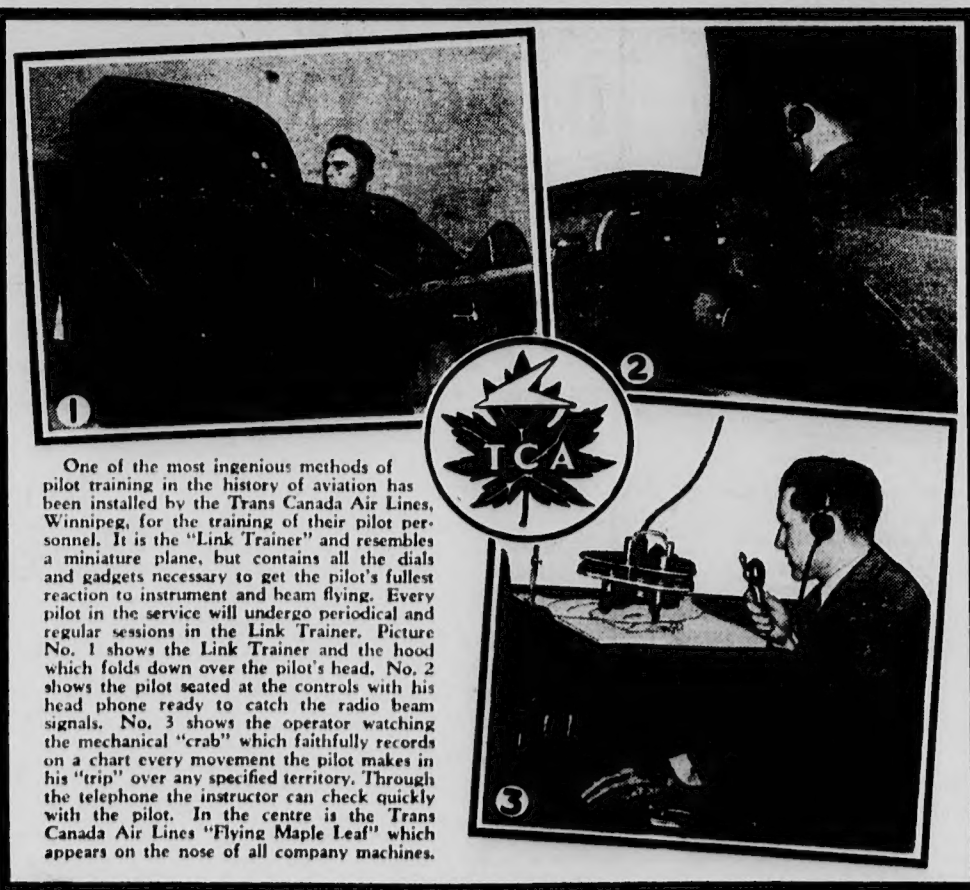
For a moment Queen Mary stood before the regalia which her eldest son, the Duke of Windsor, wore when he became the Prince of Wales.

Visiting the Welsh national museum, the Queen Mother asked especially to see the purple velvet and ermine robe with gold chaplet, sword, verge and ring in which Edward was invested in 1911 at Carnarvon.

She looked in silence, then turned away.

There are vast salt tracts in the southern and western parts of the Sahara desert. One of these tracts is 30 miles wide by 12 miles long, and 20,000 camel loads of salt are taken from it annually.

Death rides the highway when drink takes the wheel. 2251



One of the most ingenious methods of pilot training in the history of aviation has been installed by the Trans Canada Air Lines, Winnipeg, for the training of their pilot personnel. It is the "Link Trainer" and resembles a miniature plane, but contains all the dials and gadgets necessary to get the pilot's fullest reaction to instrument and beam flying. Every pilot in the service will undergo periodical and regular sessions in the Link Trainer. Picture No. 1 shows the Link Trainer and the hood which folds down over the pilot's head. No. 2 shows the pilot seated at the controls with his head phone ready to catch the radio beam signals. No. 3 shows the operator watching the mechanical "crab" which faithfully records on a chart every movement the pilot makes in his "trip" over any specified territory. Through the telephone the instructor can check quickly with the pilot. In the centre is the Trans Canada Air Lines "Flying Maple Leaf" which appears on the nose of all company machines.



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CHAPTER X.

Only a channel swimmer sunk by cramps in sight of his goal feels and looks as Ernest Bingley felt and looked when the butler broke the news to him that the Wyncoops were at the door.

"Are you sure they said 'Wyncoop'?" he asked.

"Oh, yes, sir," answered Crump. "It is a name one cannot easily forget."

Ernest turned to Lady Rosa. "I'm very sorry," he said, "but I must ask you to excuse me for a moment. Some people are here to see me."

"Police?"

"No. Of course not. What makes you think that?"

"You've a very readable face, you know. It's your keepers, perhaps."

"Friends from back home," said Ernest.

"If you look like that when friends come to call, I'd hate to see your face when an enemy is announced," Rosa said. "Go along now, Ernest, and do your duty. I'll save a dance."

Ernest did not exactly sprint toward the small reception room into which Crump had herded his visitors. A man who knows his goose has been not only cooked but made into hash and goose-soup has neither wings on his heels nor a song in his heart.

He knew, as all Bear Falls knew, that the Wyncoops had long and loudly talked of going abroad, she to visit Stratford-on-Avon and the Louvre, he to inspect French sausage foundries and the Moulin Rouge. How it would help her culture or his profits to stop by and side-swipe him, Ernest could not see. All he could see was the ugly fact that there they were, an enemy within the gates, armed with javelins of spite, with which to prick his bubble. With a forced smile of welcome on his face, and black murder in his heart, Ernest marched in to inspect the apple-cart upstuffers.

A mound of mink billowed toward him, his hand was given a high society shake and he heard a smiling Armina Wyncoop coo in her most parkavenue accent.

"My dear Ernest, how very nice to see you."

"Welcome to Bingley Castle," said Ernest, automatically, using the phrase with which he had greeted the hunt guests.

"You remember Mrs. Phelps, of course," said Mrs. Wyncoop.

The long mink in the room greeted Ernest in a manner which, for a Des Moines Phelps, exuded a warm and unfeigned cordiality.

"I had the honor," Mrs. Phelps reminded him, "of awarding you a prize at our State Fair."

As Ernest recalled the scene, her conduct on that momentous occasion suggested that she considered it less an honor than a bore; for, during the ceremony—which was hardly longer than a pause for station identification—she had gazed languidly over his head at the stuffed quail tableau, and had tapped yawns back into her small, superior mouth.

"Yes, yes, of course I remember you, Mrs. Phelps," Ernest said. "Welcome to Bingley Castle."

"So veddy, veddy kind of you," said Mrs. Phelps.

The meaty masculine hand of Otis G. Wyncoop closed on Ernest's.

"Well, well Ernie, you ole horse-

thief, how's the kid?" boomed Mr. Wyncoop, in a voice flavored with friendliness and draught stout.

"Fine, thanks," said Ernest. "Welcome to Bingley Castle."

"You know my son, I think," said Mrs. Wyncoop, a bit superfluously Ernest thought, since she knew very well that he had known Mervin since he was a mottled and rather nasty baby.

"Hello, Mervin," said Ernest.

"Whose pants you got on, Ernie?" said Mervin.

"Manners, dear, manners," said Mrs. Wyncoop, with a smile of sweet reproval. "You must excuse him, Ernest. The trip has upset him. He's so high-strung and delicate, you know."

"I ain't," said Mervin. "Got any mince pies in this dump?"

"No more pies to-day, dear," said his mother. "We've had too many already, I fear. Do sit down and be a good boy."

"Will you get me an air-gun?"

"Yes, dear, if you behave nicely."

Bribed, Mervin slouched to a corner and began to lick a slab of butterscotch.

"I was so veddy interested in your exhibit of our native fauna, Mr. Bingley," said Mrs. Phelps. "You do better work than most professional taxidermists."

Ernest mumbled "Thanks" and was trying to assimilate her remark, when she went on.

"A hobby is a great boon to a business man, as I often remarked to Mr. Phelps before he was taken away. When he came home from his bank or his plow works, tired out, it used to rest him so to play with his collection of birds' eggs. You must see them when next you are in Des Moines. They are in the Alonzo T. Phelps Memorial Museum of Art."

"I'd love to see them," said Ernest.

"And I should love to see your collection of lions, tigers and other big game. Dear Armina has been telling me about some of your adventures in Africa."

Her diction was clear. She was steady on her legs. She holds her liquor remarkably well, thought Ernest.

"You see, Ernest," put in Armina Wyncoop, and she seemed a trifle flustered, "we happened to cross on the same boat as Mrs. Phelps. In the ship's newspaper we saw the story about how you were staying here with your cousins. When I told Mrs. Phelps you were a dear old friend and that I was sure you'd feel hurt if we passed through England without staying with you a few days, she—that is—I—"

"You need not be tactful, Armina," inserted Mrs. Phelps. "I was not. I confess, Mr. Bingley," she said, turning on Ernest a smile full of penitence and honry, "that when I heard Armina was going to visit at a castle I just 'up and tagged along' as the boys say."

"I'm glad you did," said Ernest, and as he fitted this piece of informa-

tion into the jig-saw puzzle it began to make a definite pattern.

"You see," continued Mrs. Phelps, "I'm on a pilgrimage—a literary pilgrimage. I've promised to read papers to my little group back home on the Chaucer Country, Tennyson, and Christmas Customs in Country Houses. So I'm afraid I wheedled and pestered Armina until she invited me to come with her."

"It's a pleasure to have you here, I'm sure," said Ernest.

"You're a very naughty boy, Ernest," said Armina Wyncoop, wagging a finger at him, "not to tell any of your old friends that you've come into a title."

"I haven't," said Ernest.

"Modesty, modesty!" said Mrs. Wyncoop. "Being next in line to an earldom is practically the same thing."

Caesar said, "People believe what they want to believe." Ernest bowed to Julius. He affirmed Mrs. Wyncoop's statement by not denying it. Technically, he told himself, he was in line for the title—though in the way a beggar who has just found a dime is in line to become a multi-millionaire.

Though not equipped with television, Ernest could now see quite vividly the scene on the boat. Two beminked figures in adjacent deck-chairs—Mrs. Phelps cool to the advances of the aspiring Mrs. Wyncoop—then the timely discovery of the wireless dispatch about Ernest in the ship's paper—and Mrs. Wyncoop's improvised fable about her intimacy with Ernest—"of course, he's dreadfully rich, my dear Mrs. Phelps, but very simple and unassuming. One would never think to look at him that he was a noted big game hunter, and heir to an earldom"—and then the fatal boast—"Naturally, Ernest will expect us to pay him a visit at his castle." He saw the dowager of Des Moines thaw and begin her campaign to go to the castle, too—and he saw Armina, cornered, her bluff called, decide to brazen it out. It was a conspiracy, and they had made him part of it; but they had at the same time made themselves part of his.

The sound of music from the Great Hall came to their ears.

"Throwing a party, Ernie?" asked Otis G. Wyncoop.

"Why, yes—that is, the earl is holding a Hunt Ball," replied Ernest.

"Hot diggity!" exclaimed Mr. Wyncoop. "I feel like a party."

He saw Ernest's look of consternation, and went on.

"Oh, I won't go in these clothes. We got glad rags in our bags."

But it was not Mr. Wyncoop's costume that dismayed Ernest, dismaying though his suit of pea-soup green was. It was the thought that Mr. Wyncoop, no Chesterfield when sober, was tight now and certain to get tighter, and, in his frisky state, he did not make a perfect playmate for dukes. His behavior, Ernest knew, tended toward the Falstaffian, his

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conversation became unrestrained and ribald; and he was quite capable of upsetting Ernest's applecart.

"Aren't you too tired for a party after your trip?" asked Ernest, feebly hopeful.

"Fresh as daisies," returned Wyncoop. "Just show us our rooms, and in 20 minutes we'll be all dressed up like circus horses and ready to go to town."

Ernest found Crump and had a whispered conference with him.

"We'll have to put the young gentleman in the you-know room," the butler said.

"Fine," said Ernest. "Do so—and notify the ghost."

"Very good, sir. Are they staying long?"

"I'm afraid so," said Ernest.

Ernest bore his troubled brow to the Great Hall, sequestered the earl, and said.

"Some people I knew at home have turned up, sir, and I was wondering if you'd mind if—"

"More the merrier," said the earl at once. "Friends of yours are friends of mine."

"That's very kind of you."

"Hair- tonic!" retorted the earl. "Join me in a beaker of bubbly?"

"No thank you."

"You look as if you needed a buck-up."

"No champagne, thank you," said Ernest.

"One less for you is one more for me," said the earl, and drank both glasses.

"I feel a rumba coming on," he announced.

Ernest himself executed a rumba with Lady Rosa, and did it not at all badly considering that he had learned it my mail.

(To Be Continued)

Oil In Palestine

Will Be Likely Source Of Supply For British Empire

Development of Palestine's bituminous limestone deposits as a source of oil supply for the British Empire, in event of emergency is under consideration by a group of financiers in Jerusalem.

At least 200,000,000 tons of bituminous limestone are available in the lower Judean hills, east of Jerusalem, and in the vicinity of Safad and Tarshiha in Northern Palestine.

Experts estimate that, given an oil content of between 5 and 25 per cent, the deposits would be sufficient to satisfy Palestine's internal oil demands for a century. At the same time they would become the nearest Empire source of supply for the United Kingdom and prove a safeguard if the oil pipelines from Iraq to the Mediterranean were put out of action.

Promising discoveries are reported to have been made near Gaza by the Iraq Petroleum Company, which has applied for extensive concessions in the area.

A Courteous Answer

At an amateur show one budding star imitated a well-known actor who had consented to appear at the performance. Afterward the amateur tackled the professional.

"Would you mind telling me what you think of my abilities as shown by my impersonation of you?" he asked.

"Well, said the other cheerfully, "one of us is awful."

No Pupils For School

Teacher Reports For Duty And Then Sews Or Knits

Her six pupils have gone, but the teacher lingers on in the tiny Canadice Hill School, near Springwater, New York.

Spring moving time is blamed for the dilemma in which the district finds itself. Miss Margaret Welch of Webster reports at the school daily and goes through the motions of ringing the school bell and calling her absent class to order. Then she sits down to pass her time in sewing or knitting.

The school was opened last fall with six pupils, representing three families. Removal of these families and others from the district also has resulted in the appointment of three different trustees.

Murdering Old Tunes

Real Music Lovers Resent Swing For Favorite Songs

Robert Quillen, the newspaper paragrapher, gives it as his opinion that "swing music," the new dance measure, is really a primitive method of murdering horse thieves, but now used only to murder the old tunes. There will be a lot of agreement with this view.

"Why, if something isn't done they'll be swinging the National Anthem," said the manager of a Detroit radio station. "Some things are all right for swing, but not the songs my mother used to sing."—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Gardening

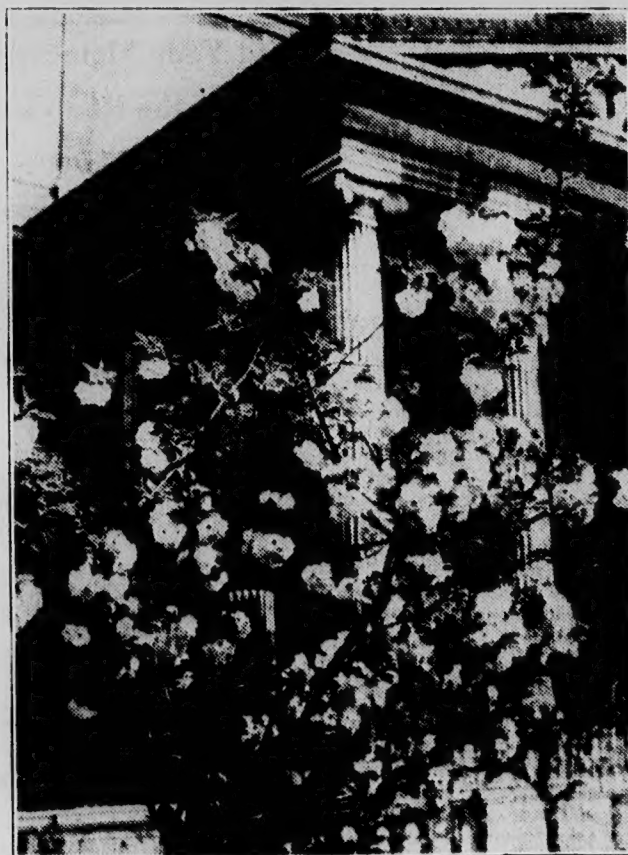
Climbing plants or vines play an important part in any scheme of landscape gardening, adding a finishing touch to wall, fence or verandah that is not possible by any other means. There is a mistaken idea that such plants may be harmful to brick or stone work. Aside from the fact that climbers add a little trouble to the job of painting the wood work around doors and windows, authorities claim that there are no harmful effects whatever but, on the other hand, there are several substantial advantages.

A house with the walls well screened is much cooler in the hot weather for the simple reason that sun does not reach heat absorbing brick or stone. As for verandahs, the advantage in shade, coolness and privacy of such natural screens is too obvious to need detailed explanation.

There are many types of both quick-growing annuals or perennials, among them ones hardy enough for most sections of this province.

The gardener with only a little land to spare should concentrate on those vegetables which give the biggest returns for the smallest space occupied. Among such kinds are beans, carrots, onions, lettuce, Swiss chard, spinach, cucumbers and beets. In the lesser-known vegetables are: leeks, egg and pepper plants, broad beans and cos lettuce. These can all be grown in most districts. Experts advise the inclusion of something new in the vegetable line each year so that variety will be gradually widened.

It is a good plan to use started annual flower plants for planting among tulips and other spring flowering bulbs which will be past their best in a few more weeks. They need something to hide dying foliage. Then again, quick-growing annuals will always be useful for filling in any blind spots in the perennial beds where winter has been unusually severe.



April breezes bring an early Spring to Paris where the Japanese Cherry blossoms are a joy to the Parisian. This picture was taken in the gardens of the St. Vincent de Paul Church.

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Mrs. Jack Pearson, of Bashaw,
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capital city on Monday.

Born at Kenton, Manitoba, on
May 9th to Rev. Elliott H. and Mrs.
Birdsall a daughter, Julia Margaret.

Mr. Aylmer Liesemer, of Calgary,
spent the weekend with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Liesemer.

Mrs. A. T. Hayes, of Calgary, is
visiting her sister, Mrs. Pete Miquel-
on and family for a few days.

Charlie Mortimer got his car mix-
ed up with a crate of eggs the other
day. He had to use the jack to get
rid of the eggs.

A number of the members of the
local Eastern Star chapter paid a
visit to the Olds Eastern Star lodge
on Tuesday night.

A meeting of the Didsbury Dairy
Calf Club will be held at Carlton
Leeson's farm west of town Satur-
day, May 21st at 2 p.m.

Mr. Art. Reiber went to Edmonton
on Tuesday, where he will receive
his B.Sc. degree tomorrow (Friday).
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Reiber will
attend the convocation.

"Stella Dallas" at the movies this
weekend, with Barbara Stanwyck
and John Boles. A most poignant
and gripping story; an intensive and
dramatic portrayal of mother love!

A. Melville Anderson, Optometrist
and Optician, 224 8th-Ave.-W., Cal-
gary, will be at the Rosebud Hotel
on Monday afternoon only, May 23.
Eyes examined and glasses fitted.

Amateur Night at the Community
Hall under auspices of the Mt. View
Women's Institute, Friday, May 20
Adults 35c, children 15c, family
ticket \$1.

3 One-Act Plays presented by
Olds young people will be given un-
der the auspices of the Junior Lad-
ies' Aid of the United Church in
Church auditorium, on Thursday,
May 19th, at 8 p.m. See advt.

After the regular meeting of the
Masonic Lodge Mr. W. R. Reader,
superintendent of parks for the city
of Calgary, gave a talk on "Horti-
culture. There were a number of
visitors present to hear this interest-
ing lecture.

Mr. G. A. Wallace, who has been
manager of the Atlas Lumber Yard
here for the past six years, has been
transferred to the company's yard
at Coronation, Alta. Mr. Wallace
will leave towards the end of next
week. His family will move at a
later date.

The regular meeting of the Wo-
men's Missionary Society will be
held at the home of Mrs. Norman
Clarke at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, May
17th. The topic will be "The ups
and downs in Western China," tak-
en from the study book "A new
Church faces a new World. All
ladies are asked to attend.

The play "An Old Fashioned
Mother" which was given by the
young people of the Evangelical
Church will be repeated on Wednes-
day, May 18th.

Appeal Arranged On Alberta Bills

The judicial committee of the
Privy Council at London have grant-
ed the attorney-general of Alberta
leave to appeal the judgments of the
Supreme Court of Canada on the
province's bank taxation, credit
legislation and press bills.

These measures, sponsored by the
Social Credit government, and en-
acted by the Alberta Legislature,
were found unconstitutional by the
supreme court.

Leave to appeal to the judicial
committee is a formality and their
lordships probably will hear the ap-
peals at the Trinity sittings begin-
ning at the end of the month.

Cyril Radcliffe, K.C., for the at-
torney-general of Alberta, said the
petition raised matters considered
of utmost importance to Canada.
Principal respondent in the appeal is
the attorney-general of Alberta, who
did not oppose the petition.

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Repeat Performance

"An
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WED., MAY 18th

At 8 p.m.

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Items of Interest

Examinations for certified poultry
graders will be held in Calgary on
Monday, May 16, by officials of the
Dominion Poultry Services. These
will be the first tests made in Calgary
since the passing of the provincial
government act at the recent sitting
of the legislature which requires
poultry to be graded by certified
graders. The Poultry Service has
announced that those taking the
tests will register Saturday.

Although separated from his home
in Calgary by more than 6,000 miles
Harold was enabled Sunday through
modern telephone facilities to speak
from El Centro, Colombia, South
America, to his mother, Mrs. G. B.
Coward. The phone call, which
she would have welcomed at any
time, was particularly appropriate, it
being "Mother's Day." Coward
has been in Berranca, Bermeja,
Colombia, for the past three and a
half years, working for the Tropical
Oil Company.

Prime Minister Mackenzie King
has written Premier Aberhart of
Alberta voicing the earnest hope
the provincial government would
maintain "essential dignities"
surrounding the office of Lieutenant-
Governor J. C. Bowen of Alberta.
Mr. King made it clear his letter
did not mention the proposed closing
of the Government House, but that
he referred to other services for the
lieutenant governor such as office,
stationary and secretary.

Office space and secretarial staff
will be provided at the legislative
buildings for Lieut.-Governor J. C.
Bowen's official duties, it was
learned Monday. It is expected
His Honor will vacate Government
House later today or tomorrow.
It was also learned an automobile
would be available to the lieutenant-
governor for official duties.

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